a)   paying a charge for merchandise delivered to a user at a self-service dispensing machine, including reading a machine readable article, wherein the article corresponds to a source of monetary value;

b)   receiving an input from the user through an input device adjacent the dispensing machine, wherein the input corresponds to a request for an amount of cash;

c)   charging the source of monetary value for the charge and the amount;

d)   communicating information representative of the request for the amount to a facility remote from the machine, wherein the facility includes a supply of cash; and

e)   delivering the amount of cash to the user from the supply after the user arrives at the facility.

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21. (once amended) The method according to claim 20 wherein the machine further comprises an output device, and further comprising the step of providing a prompt message through the output device advising the user to press at least one of the keys if they wish to receive an amount of cash.

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23. (once amended) The method according to claim 22 wherein step (e) comprises at least one of either reviewing the machine readable article, reviewing a driver's license associated with the user, or receiving a biometric input from the user.

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24. (once amended) The method according to claim 1 wherein the self-service dispensing machine is operative to deliver motor fuel in an outdoor environment, and wherein the facility includes an indoor sales area, wherein in step (e) the amount is delivered in the sales area.

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39. (once amended) The method according to claim 38, wherein the outputting step further includes dispensing an item that includes indicia representative of the code, and wherein the second charge paying step further includes reading the indica from the item.

Kindly add new claims 40-43 as follows:

40. (newly added) A method comprising:

receiving a first customer input request at a customer request station, wherein the first request is received via at least one input device at the customer request station, wherein the first request corresponds to a merchandise purchase;

receiving a second customer input request at the customer request station, wherein the second request is received via at least one input device at the customer request station, wherein the second request corresponds to an amount of cash;

providing a code at the customer request station, wherein the code is provided responsive to the second request;

receiving a single payment at the customer request station for both the merchandise and the amount of cash, wherein such payment receiving includes reading a machine readable article;

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delivering at least a portion of the requested amount of cash from a cash dispensing

device at a cash delivery station responsive to receiving input of the code at an input

device at the cash delivery station, wherein the cash delivery station is remote from the

customer request station, and wherein such cash delivery is subsequent to customer

arrival at the cash delivery station.

41. (newly added) The method according to claim 40, wherein the customer request station

includes a self-service fuel dispensing machine, and wherein receiving the first customer input

request includes receiving a request for fuel.

42. (newly added) The method according to claim 40, wherein the cash delivery station includes

a self-service automated cash dispensing device, wherein providing the code includes printing the

code on a paper item, and wherein delivering the cash includes dispensing cash from the cash

dispensing device responsive to receiving input of the code at the cash dispensing device.

43. (newly added) The method according to claim 42, wherein the self-service automated cash

dispensing device comprises an automated teller machine (ATM), and wherein the ATM includes

a supply of cash.